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Attention: Box PATENT APPLICATION

Sir:

Submitted herewith is a patent application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) for:

Inventors: OPHIR FRIEDER and ABDUR R. CHOWDHURY Title: SYSTEM FOR SIMILAR DOCUMENT DETECTION

This is not a Provisional Application.

The application includes:

- X Specification (31 pages), which includes claims (1-42) and Abstract (1 page)
- X Formal drawings (4 sheets, Figures 1-6)
- X Inventor Declaration and Power of Attorney signed by Frieder
- X Inventor Declaration and Power of Attorney signed by Chowdhury
- X Assignment with Cover Sheet for Frieder
- X Assignment with Cover Sheet for Chowdhury
- X Small Entity Declaration Independent Inventor signed by Frieder
- X Small Entity Declaration Independent Inventor signed by Chowdhury
- X Small Entity Declaration Non-Profit Organization

Fee (see formula below) - Check Enclosed:

Basic Filing Fee (large entity = \$690/small entity = \$345)	\$ 345
Total number of claims in excess of 20 (22 x \$18/9)	\$ 198
Number of independent claims in excess of 3 (5 x \$78/39)	\$ 195
Multiple Dependent Claim (\$260/130)	\$ 0
Assignment Recordation Fee (2 x \$40)	\$ 80
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In view of the above, it is requested that this application be accorded a filing date.

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